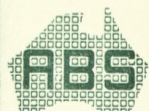


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MAIN FEATURES

- For 1977-78 the basis of compiling statistics of industrial accidents was changed from year of finalisation to year of occurrence. The change means that 1977-78 and earlier years' statistics are not directly comparable.
- From 1976-77 to 1977-78 there was an apparent drop in accident numbers of about 2 000. This apparent decline should be treated with caution; while there is some evidence to support an actual decline in 1977-78 it is pointed out that the submission of accident reports is voluntary. The Bureau is aware that in some cases, reports have not been received and has been unable to obtain them.
- In 1977-78, 7 132 industrial accidents were reported to the A.B.S. Compensation paid in respect of these accidents was \$3.2m and time lost 12 500 weeks.
- Fifty-eight per cent of reported accidents involved time losses of less than one week.
- Fourteen per cent of reported accidents occurred in the construction industry.
- In 1977-78 five fatal accidents were reported. All involved males.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

The statistics in this bulletin have been compiled from reports of workers' compensation claims occurring during 1977-78. In previous years statistics have been compiled on a 'cases finalised' basis. Figures for 1976-77 and 1977-78 are therefore not strictly comparable. See note under scope and coverage for effect upon the statistics. The reports are submitted by insurance companies, self-insurers and State Government departments. Prior to 1969-70, statistics appeared in the annual reports of the Department of Labour and Industry but the two series are not strictly comparable because of definitional, conceptual and classification changes.

Attention is directed to the fact that reports are submitted voluntarily by insurers. Close liaison has been established by the Bureau with insurers for the purpose of achieving and maintaining coverage and accuracy in the collection and co-operation has generally been good. Under present arrangements, however, there is no effective way of checking to ensure that reports are received for all claims coming within the scope of the collection and it is considered that coverage is deficient to a degree largely because of the recording systems in use in some insurance offices. It is likely that the extent of this deficiency varies from year to year and caution should therefore be used in drawing any conclusions regarding the trend in the statistics over time. The principal value of the statistics lies in the detailed analysis which has been carried out to show accidents classified by industry group, occupation group, accident factor, nature of injury, site of injury, month of occurrence, age group and duration of time lost.

Comparison of 1977-78 statistics with earlier years: In the preceding paragraph users are warned that inter-year comparisons of statistics may not be valid. This is particularly so in relation to the 1977-78 statistics and any comparisons that might be made with earlier years. An apparent drop of 2 000 occurred in the number of industrial accidents. This apparent drop was confined to males - industrial accidents involving females showed an increase. While there is evidence to support a decline (e.g. general insurance statistics showed a fall in workers' compensation claims paid) investigations show that some under-reporting has also occurred.

From 1977-78 the statistics represent industrial accidents reported by insurers as occurring during the financial year. Reports are received until 31 October at which time insurers estimate time lost and compensation to be paid for any outstanding accidents which occurred in the financial year.

Previously reports were tabulated on the basis of claims finalised in a particular financial year by insurers. This differed from the 1977-78 collection in the following ways:

- (a) accidents may have occurred in the year in which the claim was finalised or during some earlier year;
- (b) the methods used by insurers for determining when claims are finalised vary greatly;
- (c) in many instances there exists a considerable time-lag between the finalisation of claims and the completion of reports.

The change in collection basis meant that approximately 2 400 accidents that would have, under the previous definition, been included in the 1977-78 statistics were excluded. On the other hand, a large number of accidents which would have been previously excluded (not finalised in 1977-78) are included.

Each original claim has been regarded as a separate accident and although reports have been received of re-opened claims, details of these are only included in the tabulations appearing on page 29. The total cost of re-opened claims during 1977-78 was \$116 893.

Only persons within the coverage of the Tasmanian Workers' Compensation Act 1927 are included. Notable exclusions are self-employed persons, all Australian Government employees and police officers. Exclusion of self-employed persons is likely to have a marked effect on figures for industries where self-employment is prevalent (e.g. retail trade, rural industries). Because of the exclusion of Australian Government employees, some industry classifications are not covered at all (e.g. defence services and communications), while coverage is reduced in other industries.

Definitions

For the purpose of this collection the following definitions have been adopted:

Industrial accident: An event resulting in a compensated work injury causing death or absence of the injured person from work for one day or more. Disease cases and accidents occurring during journeys or recess periods are included.

Accident factor: Interpreted in general as that underlying agency, other than human failing, which appears to contribute most materially to an accident and which would be most likely to receive attention in preventing recurrence of a similar accident. A detailed list of accident factors is shown on pages 8-11.

Time lost: The actual time lost from work of persons reported to be temporarily or permanently partially incapacitated as a result of a compensated work injury.

Cost of claims: Includes compensation for wages lost and for hospital and medical expenses; and also lump sum settlements of cases reported as occurring during the year ended 30 June 1978. The cost of claims shown in this publication differs from the amount shown under Workers' Compensation claims in fire, marine and general insurance statistics in other Bureau publications. The latter relate to accounting periods ending at various points of time during the year ended 30 June 1978 and include the cost of cases which did not involve absence from work of one day or more; provision is also made for the estimated liability for claims outstanding at the end of the accounting year.

Industry: Classified in accordance with the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC). This classification differs from the 1966 Population Census Classification of Industries used in this bulletin prior to the 1971-72 issue.

Occupation: Classified in accordance with the 1971 Population Census Classification of Occupation.

More details of industry and occupation classifications may be made available on application to this Bureau or to the Tasmanian Department of Labour and Industry.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS

Workers Compensation Statistics - New South Wales (6301.1)
(annual, 1976-77 issue released May 79, 49pp.)
Industrial Accident Statistics - Queensland (6301.3)
(annual, 1977-78 issue released 26-7-79, 33pp.)

Industrial Accidents - South Australia (6301.4) (annual, 1976-77 issue released January 1979, 21pp.)
Industrial Accident (Series A - Absences from Work for One Day or More) - Western Australia (6301.5) (annual, 1977-78 issue released February 1979, 10pp.)
Industrial Accidents (Series B - Absences from Work for One Week or More) - Western Australia (6302.5) (annual, 1977-78 issue released 22-2-79, 11pp.)

SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

The following standard symbols are used in publications of the Tasmanian Office of the Bureau:

| | |
|--------|---|
| ASIC | Australian Standard Industrial Classification |
| M | males; F females; P persons |
| n.a. | not available |
| n.e.c. | not elsewhere classified |
| n.e.i. | not elsewhere included |
| n.p. | not available for separate publication but included in totals where applicable |
| n.y.a. | not yet available |
| p | preliminary - figure or series subject to revision |
| r | figure or series revised since previous issue |
| .. | not applicable |
| - | nil or less than half the unit shown |
| — | break in continuity of the series (where drawn across a column between two consecutive figures) |
| (H) | located in Hobart Statistical Division; |
| (S) | located in Southern Statistical Division; |
| (H)(S) | parts in both Divisions. |

Values are shown in Australian Currency.

Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

NOTE: All tables in this bulletin relate to accidents involving loss of time of one day or more.

TABLE 1. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS (a) : INDUSTRY GROUP, TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS, TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Industry group | Accidents | | | | | Time lost - temporary disability only (b) | | Cost of claims | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------|---|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | Fatal | Non-fatal - extent of disability | | | Total | Total | Average per accident | Fatal accidents | Non-fatal accidents | Total accidents | Average per non-fatal accident |
| | | Permanent total | Permanent partial | Temporary | | | | | | | |
| | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | weeks | weeks | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 1 | - | 4 | 513 | 518 | 1 155 | 2.2 | 31 898 | 239 859 | 271 757 | 464 |
| Mining | - | - | 2 | 390 | 392 | 791 | 2.0 | - | 252 345 | 252 345 | 644 |
| Total | 1 | - | 6 | 903 | 910 | 1 946 | 2.1 | 31 898 | 492 204 | 524 102 | 541 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | - | 3 | 562 | 565 | 895 | 1.6 | - | 236 803 | 236 803 | 419 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 1 | - | 3 | 374 | 378 | 632 | 1.7 | 34 022 | 117 470 | 151 492 | 312 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 1 | - | 1 | 80 | 82 | 113 | 1.4 | 1 000 | 25 418 | 26 418 | 314 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | 6 | 753 | 759 | 1 553 | 2.0 | - | 439 939 | 439 939 | 580 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | 2 | 107 | 109 | 276 | 2.5 | - | 56 048 | 56 048 | 514 |
| Other manufacturing | - | - | 1 | 354 | 355 | 547 | 1.5 | - | 109 990 | 109 990 | 310 |
| Total | 2 | - | 16 | 2 230 | 2 248 | 4 016 | 1.8 | 35 022 | 985 668 | 1 020 690 | 439 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | - | 581 | 581 | 674 | 1.2 | - | 165 775 | 165 775 | 285 |
| Construction | - | 1 | 4 | 963 | 968 | 1 362 | 1.4 | - | 311 173 | 311 173 | 321 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | - | - | 8 | 619 | 627 | 978 | 1.6 | - | 228 945 | 228 945 | 365 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | 2 | 472 | 474 | 908 | 1.9 | - | 185 837 | 185 837 | 392 |
| Finance and property | 1 | - | - | 41 | 42 | 65 | 1.6 | 31 841 | 13 687 | 45 528 | 334 |
| Public administration | 1 | - | 3 | 202 | 206 | 388 | 1.9 | 35 000 | 90 983 | 125 983 | 444 |
| Community services | - | - | 2 | 188 | 190 | 359 | 1.9 | - | 103 784 | 103 784 | 546 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | - | - | - | 154 | 154 | 281 | 1.8 | - | 71 436 | 71 436 | 464 |
| Total | 2 | 1 | 19 | 3 220 | 3 242 | 5 015 | 1.5 | 66 841 | 1 171 620 | 1 238 461 | 362 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES | 5 | 1 | 41 | 6 353 | 6 400 | 10 977 | 1.7 | 133 761 | 2 649 492 | 2 783 253 | 414 |

(a) Includes disease cases.

(b) Includes permanent partial disability cases.

TABLE 1. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS (a) : INDUSTRY GROUP, TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Accidents | | | | Time lost - temporary disability only (b) | | Cost of claims | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---|-------|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | Fatal | Non-fatal - extent of disability | | | Total | Total | Average per accident | Fatal accidents | Non-fatal accidents | Total accidents | Average per non-fatal accident |
| | | Permanent total | Permanent partial | Temporary | | | | | | | |
| | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | weeks | weeks | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | - | - | - | 24 | 24 | 49 | 2.0 | - | 8 975 | 8 975 | 374 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | 24 | 24 | 49 | 2.0 | - | 8 975 | 8 975 | 374 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | - | 2 | 84 | 86 | 175 | 2.0 | - | 38 200 | 38 200 | 444 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | - | - | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0.9 | - | 461 | 461 | 154 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | - | 8 | 8 | 9 | 1.1 | - | 1 357 | 1 357 | 170 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | - | 8 | 8 | 8 | 1.0 | - | 1 129 | 1 129 | 141 |
| Other manufacturing | - | - | 1 | 108 | 109 | 141 | 1.3 | - | 29 743 | 29 743 | 273 |
| Total | - | - | 3 | 211 | 214 | 335 | 1.6 | - | 70 890 | 70 890 | 331 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | 1 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 0.4 | - | 396 | 396 | 79 |
| Construction | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0.3 | - | 175 | 175 | 87 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | - | - | 2 | 110 | 112 | 310 | 2.8 | - | 172 776 | 172 776 | 1 543 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | - | 6 | 6 | 55 | 9.1 | - | 7 505 | 7 505 | 1 251 |
| Finance and property | - | - | - | 18 | 18 | 21 | 1.1 | - | 4 171 | 4 171 | 232 |
| Public administration | - | - | - | 5 | 5 | 4 | 0.7 | - | 701 | 701 | 140 |
| Community services | - | - | 1 | 238 | 239 | 525 | 2.2 | - | 106 472 | 106 472 | 445 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | - | - | 2 | 105 | 107 | 218 | 2.0 | - | 31 465 | 31 465 | 294 |
| Total | - | - | 6 | 488 | 494 | 1 134 | 2.3 | - | 323 661 | 323 661 | 655 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES | - | - | 9 | 723 | 732 | 1 518 | 2.1 | - | 403 526 | 403 526 | 551 |

(a) Includes disease cases.

(b) Includes permanent partial disability cases.

TABLE 1. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS (a) : INDUSTRY GROUP, TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

PERSONS

| Industry group | Accidents | | | | | Time lost - temporary disability only (b) | | Cost of claims | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------|---|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | Fatal | Non-fatal - extent of disability | | | Total | Total | Average per accident | Fatal accidents | Non-fatal accidents | Total accidents | Average per non-fatal accident |
| | | Permanent total | Permanent partial | Temporary | | | | | | | |
| | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | weeks | weeks | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 1 | - | 4 | 537 | 542 | 1 204 | 2.2 | 31 898 | 248 834 | 280 732 | 460 |
| Mining | - | - | 2 | 390 | 392 | 791 | 2.0 | - | 252 345 | 252 345 | 644 |
| Total | 1 | - | 6 | 927 | 934 | 1 995 | 2.1 | 31 898 | 501 179 | 533 077 | 537 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | - | 5 | 646 | 651 | 1 070 | 1.6 | - | 275 003 | 275 003 | 422 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 1 | - | 3 | 377 | 381 | 634 | 1.7 | 34 022 | 117 931 | 151 953 | 310 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 1 | - | 1 | 80 | 82 | 113 | 1.4 | 1 000 | 25 418 | 26 418 | 314 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | 6 | 761 | 767 | 1 562 | 2.0 | - | 441 296 | 441 296 | 575 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | 2 | 115 | 117 | 284 | 2.4 | - | 57 177 | 57 177 | 489 |
| Other manufacturing | - | - | 2 | 462 | 464 | 688 | 1.5 | - | 139 733 | 139 733 | 301 |
| Total | 2 | - | 19 | 2 441 | 2 462 | 4 351 | 1.8 | 35 022 | 1 056 558 | 1 091 580 | 429 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | 1 | 585 | 586 | 676 | 1.2 | - | 166 171 | 166 171 | 284 |
| Construction | - | 1 | 4 | 965 | 970 | 1 362 | 1.4 | - | 311 348 | 311 348 | 321 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | - | - | 10 | 729 | 739 | 1 288 | 1.7 | - | 401 721 | 401 721 | 544 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | 2 | 478 | 480 | 962 | 2.0 | - | 193 342 | 193 342 | 403 |
| Finance and property | 1 | - | - | 59 | 60 | 86 | 1.5 | 31 841 | 17 858 | 49 699 | 303 |
| Public administration | 1 | - | 3 | 207 | 211 | 392 | 1.9 | 35 000 | 91 684 | 126 684 | 437 |
| Community services | - | - | 3 | 426 | 429 | 884 | 2.1 | - | 210 256 | 210 256 | 490 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | - | - | 2 | 259 | 261 | 499 | 1.9 | - | 102 901 | 102 901 | 394 |
| Total | 2 | 1 | 25 | 3 708 | 3 736 | 6 149 | 1.6 | 66 841 | 1 495 281 | 1 562 122 | 400 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES | 5 | 1 | 50 | 7 076 | 7 132 | 12 495 | 1.8 | 133 761 | 3 053 018 | 3 186 779 | 428 |

(a) Includes disease cases.

(b) Includes permanent partial disability cases.

TABLE 2. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND TYPE OF ACCIDENT, TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Industry group | Type of accident | | | | | | | | | | Total accidents | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| | Arising during course of employment | | | | | | Away from work during recess period | | Periodic or other prescribed journey | | | |
| | During meal or other work break | | Road traffic accident | | Other (a) | | | | | | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | - | 5 | 1 | 6 | - | 490 | - | 3 | - | 13 | 1 | 517 |
| Mining | - | 4 | - | - | - | 378 | - | 2 | - | 8 | - | 392 |
| Total | - | 9 | 1 | 6 | - | 868 | - | 5 | - | 21 | 1 | 909 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | 3 | - | 2 | - | 554 | - | - | - | 6 | - | 565 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | 1 | - | 4 | 1 | 367 | - | 1 | - | 4 | 1 | 377 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 80 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 81 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | 7 | - | 5 | - | 724 | - | 2 | - | 21 | - | 759 |
| Transport equipment | - | 1 | - | - | - | 102 | - | 2 | - | 4 | - | 109 |
| Other manufacturing | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 345 | - | 2 | - | 6 | - | 355 |
| Total | - | 13 | - | 12 | 1 | 2 172 | - | 7 | 1 | 42 | 2 | 2 246 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | 3 | - | 3 | - | 562 | - | 4 | - | 9 | - | 581 |
| Construction | - | 6 | - | 8 | - | 931 | - | 3 | - | 20 | - | 968 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | - | 3 | - | 5 | - | 601 | - | 2 | - | 16 | - | 627 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | 8 | - | 11 | - | 448 | - | 2 | - | 5 | - | 474 |
| Finance and property | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | 38 | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 41 |
| Public administration | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | 198 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | 205 |
| Community service | - | 7 | - | 3 | - | 173 | - | 1 | - | 6 | - | 190 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | 144 | - | - | - | 5 | - | 154 |
| Total | - | 33 | 2 | 33 | - | 3 095 | - | 15 | - | 64 | 2 | 3 240 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - Number | - | 55 | 3 | 51 | 1 | 6 135 | - | 27 | 1 | 127 | 5 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 0.9 | | 0.8 | | 95.9 | | 0.4 | | 2.0 | | 100.0 | |

(a) Includes disease cases.

TABLE 2. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND TYPE OF ACCIDENT, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Type of accident | | | | | | | | | | Total accidents | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| | Arising during course of employment | | | | | | Away from work during recess period | | Periodic or other prescribed journey | | | |
| | During meal or other work break | | Road traffic accident | | Other (a) | | | | | | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal | Fatal | Non-fatal |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | - | - | - | - | - | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | 24 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | 1 | - | - | - | 79 | - | - | - | 6 | - | 86 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 3 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 8 | - | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | - | - | - | 8 | - | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Other manufacturing | - | 1 | - | 3 | - | 101 | - | - | - | 4 | - | 109 |
| Total | - | 2 | - | 3 | - | 198 | - | - | - | 11 | - | 214 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | 5 |
| Construction | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 101 | - | - | - | 9 | - | 112 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Finance and property | - | - | - | 1 | - | 12 | - | - | - | 5 | - | 18 |
| Public administration | - | - | - | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | 5 |
| Community services | - | 4 | - | 4 | - | 206 | - | 2 | - | 23 | - | 239 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | - | 3 | - | 5 | - | 91 | - | 3 | - | 5 | - | 107 |
| Total | - | 8 | - | 11 | - | 426 | - | 5 | - | 44 | 1 | 494 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - Number | - | 10 | - | 14 | - | 648 | - | 5 | - | 55 | 1 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 1.4 | | 1.9 | | 88.5 | | 0.7 | | 7.5 | | 100.0 | |

(a) Includes disease cases.

TABLE 3. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDIVIDUAL ACCIDENT FACTOR AND TIME LOST, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Accident factor | Accidents and time lost | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|-----------|--------------------|
| | Males | | | Females | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | | Fatal | Non-fatal | |
| | Number | Number | Time lost weeks | Number | Number | Time lost weeks |
| <u>Machinery</u> | | | | | | |
| Engines and prime movers | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Pumps (including windmills) | - | 3 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Ropes, belts, pulleys, etc. | - | 18 | 17 | - | 1 | 3 |
| Shafting | - | 1 | 17 | - | - | - |
| Gears | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other mechanical power transmission apparatus | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hoists, cranes, winches, etc. | - | 30 | 51 | - | - | - |
| Portable lifting appliances | - | 16 | 19 | - | - | - |
| Lifts | - | 2 | 3 | - | 1 | 6 |
| Conveyors | - | 13 | 36 | - | 5 | 3 |
| Abrasive, polishing, etc. | - | 40 | 31 | - | - | - |
| Agitators and mixers | - | 3 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Casting, forging, welding | - | 42 | 35 | - | 1 | 3 |
| Crushers, grinding mills, etc. | - | 7 | 7 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Drilling, boring, turning - Metal | - | 20 | 14 | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 6 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Milling machines | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Planers and shapers - Woodworking | - | 11 | 16 | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Packing and wrapping | - | 3 | 2 | - | 3 | 20 |
| Opening, picking, combing, carding | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| Presses and punches - Metal | - | 6 | 12 | - | - | - |
| Printing | - | 3 | 9 | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 5 | 5 | - | - | - |
| Rolls (printing, metal, glueing, etc.) | - | 4 | 12 | - | - | - |
| Saws - Woodworking - Circular | - | 22 | 35 | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 12 | 31 | - | - | - |
| Metal | - | 5 | 5 | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 5 | 12 | - | - | - |
| Screening and separating | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sewing and stitching | - | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 2 |
| Shears - Metal | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Paper | - | 1 | 3 | - | - | - |
| Other (except food and sheep shears) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Rotary cutters (except food) | - | 3 | 7 | - | - | - |
| Cutters, food | - | 2 | 1 | - | 7 | 17 |
| Spinning, weaving, knitting | - | 10 | 8 | - | 14 | 20 |
| Centrifuges | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other industrial machines (fixed) | - | 69 | 161 | - | 13 | 22 |
| Milking, shearing, cream separators | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Farm implements (not tractors) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other farm equipment (fixed) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other machinery | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | 373 | 562 | - | 49 | 96 |
| <u>Vehicles</u> | | | | | | |
| Motor vehicles | 4 | 184 | 553 | - | 64 | 217 |
| Railway locomotives, trucks and cars | - | 8 | 18 | - | 1 | 16 |
| Mine, quarry and other vehicles on rails | - | 12 | 26 | - | - | - |
| Bicycles | - | 7 | 37 | - | - | - |

(a) Less than one week.

TABLE 3. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDIVIDUAL ACCIDENT FACTOR AND TIME LOST, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

| Accident factor | Accidents and time lost | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| | Males | | | Females | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | | Fatal | Non-fatal | |
| | Number | Number | Time lost | Number | Number | Time lost |
| | | | weeks | | | weeks |
| <u>Vehicles - continued</u> | | | | | | |
| Aircraft | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Water transport | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Animal-drawn vehicles | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mobile machinery - | | | | | | |
| Mobile cranes and hoists | - | 3 | 8 | - | - | - |
| Fork-lift trucks | - | 24 | 52 | - | - | - |
| Tractors | - | 18 | 93 | - | - | - |
| Bulldozers, mach. shovels, rollers, etc. | - | 31 | 34 | - | - | - |
| Other mobile machinery | - | 22 | 55 | - | 2 | 2 |
| Other vehicles | - | 3 | 4 | - | 3 | 4 |
| Total | 4 | 312 | 879 | - | 70 | 239 |
| <u>Electricity, explosions, flames, hot substances</u> | | | | | | |
| Electricity - | | | | | | |
| Cables and flexibles, portable machines, etc. | - | 5 | 2 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Switch and fuse gear | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Electric supply wiring | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other electricity | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Explosions - | | | | | | |
| Blasting (mines and quarries) | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Boilers and pressure vessels | - | 19 | 20 | - | - | - |
| Gas (household and industrial) | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Other explosions (including weapons) | - | 16 | 23 | - | - | - |
| Flames and hot substances or objects | - | 117 | 184 | - | 28 | 82 |
| Total | - | 162 | 233 | - | 29 | 82 |
| <u>Harmful substances</u> | | | | | | |
| Solids, powders | - | 9 | 10 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Gas and aerosols | - | 21 | 18 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Liquids | - | 54 | 81 | - | 2 | 3 |
| Total | - | 84 | 109 | - | 4 | 3 |
| <u>Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc.</u> | | | | | | |
| Falling from - | | | | | | |
| Ladders | - | 109 | 300 | - | 4 | 3 |
| Poles | - | 7 | 5 | - | - | - |
| Roofs | - | 4 | 3 | - | - | - |
| Scaffolding | - | 37 | 44 | - | - | - |
| Stairs or steps | - | 115 | 270 | - | 40 | 61 |
| Top or tray of vehicles | - | 65 | 166 | - | - | - |
| Other elevation | - | 97 | 199 | - | 12 | 34 |
| Falling into excavations | - | 38 | 81 | - | 3 | 3 |
| Jumping or stepping down | - | 94 | 225 | - | 8 | 21 |
| Slipping, stumbling, falling on same level | - | 701 | 1 459 | - | 122 | 254 |
| Total | - | 1 267 | 2 752 | - | 189 | 376 |

(a) Less than one week.

TABLE 3. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDIVIDUAL ACCIDENT FACTOR AND TIME LOST, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

| Accident factor | Accidents and time lost | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| | Males | | | Females | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | | Fatal | Non-fatal | |
| | Number | Number | Time lost | Number | Number | Time lost |
| | | | weeks | | | weeks |
| <u>Striking against, stepping on, etc.</u> | | | | | | |
| Stepping on sharp objects | - | 31 | 21 | - | 3 | 4 |
| Striking against fixed or stationary objects | - | 229 | 314 | - | 59 | 100 |
| Total | - | 260 | 335 | - | 62 | 104 |
| <u>Handling, moving or falling objects</u> | | | | | | |
| Strain in handling, over-exertion | - | 1 220 | 2 151 | - | 187 | 415 |
| Struck by - | | | | | | |
| Trees, limbs, logs | 1 | 99 | 239 | - | - | - |
| Poles | - | 8 | 15 | - | - | - |
| Other timber | - | 162 | 314 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Drums and barrels | - | 37 | 62 | - | - | - |
| Boxes, crates, cartons | - | 56 | 115 | - | 4 | 3 |
| Bricks and tiles | - | 26 | 30 | - | - | - |
| Earth, rock, sand | - | 63 | 135 | - | - | - |
| Hand trucks, barrows, etc. | - | 17 | 18 | - | 2 | 7 |
| Unspecified metal objects | - | 410 | 652 | - | 15 | 23 |
| Other objects | - | 197 | 283 | - | 30 | 65 |
| Handling sharp objects - | | | | | | |
| Metal | - | 132 | 173 | - | 8 | 4 |
| Glass | - | 68 | 86 | - | 5 | 4 |
| Splinters, thorns, etc. | - | 50 | 51 | - | 6 | 8 |
| Bone | - | 13 | 7 | - | 5 | 2 |
| Other sharp objects | - | 29 | 19 | - | 2 | 1 |
| Other | - | 5 | 5 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Total | 1 | 2 592 | 4 356 | - | 266 | 534 |
| <u>Hand tools</u> | | | | | | |
| Hand operated - | | | | | | |
| Axes, hatchets | - | 60 | 160 | - | 1 | 5 |
| Blow torches | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Can openers | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cleavers, choppers | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Chisels | - | 22 | 22 | - | - | - |
| Crowbars, pinchbars | - | 25 | 31 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Files | - | 3 | 3 | - | - | - |
| Hammers, mallets | - | 105 | 139 | - | - | - |
| Hooks | - | 15 | 14 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Knives | - | 223 | 282 | - | 22 | 27 |
| Needles | - | 2 | (a) | - | - | - |
| Pens or pencils | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Picks, pickaxes, hoes | - | 12 | 15 | - | - | - |
| Pliers, pincers, tongs | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Saws | - | 36 | 44 | - | - | - |
| Scissors and shears | - | 11 | 10 | - | 1 | 9 |
| Screwdrivers | - | 10 | 7 | - | - | - |
| Shovels and spades | - | 45 | 87 | - | 2 | 1 |
| Spanners, wrenches | - | 38 | 84 | - | - | - |
| Brooms | - | 2 | (a) | - | 1 | 1 |
| Drills and augers | - | 1 | (a) | - | - | - |
| Other | - | 28 | 28 | - | 2 | 1 |

(a) Less than one week.

TABLE 3. FATAL AND NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDIVIDUAL ACCIDENT FACTOR AND TIME LOST, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

| Accident factor | Accidents and time lost | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| | Males | | | Females | | |
| | Fatal | Non-fatal | | Fatal | Non-fatal | |
| | Number | Number | Time lost | Number | Number | Time lost |
| | | | weeks | | | weeks |
| <u>Hand tools - continued</u> | | | | | | |
| Power operated - | | | | | | |
| Abrasive, sanding, polishing, etc. | - | 73 | 45 | - | - | - |
| Chisels | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Drills, jack-hammers, etc. | - | 101 | 148 | - | 1 | (a) |
| Knives | - | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Riveters | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Saws | - | 48 | 88 | - | - | - |
| Screwdrivers | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Soldering irons | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Explosive-powered fasteners | - | 4 | 3 | - | - | - |
| Other power operated hand tools | - | 31 | 36 | - | 2 | 4 |
| Total | - | 900 | 1 250 | - | 35 | 49 |
| <u>Other and unspecified</u> | | | | | | |
| Animals and insects | - | 83 | 124 | - | 9 | 11 |
| Physical causes - | | | | | | |
| Cold | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Compressed air (working in) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Exposure (to rain, wind, etc.) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Heat (furnaces, weather, etc.) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Immersion | - | - | - | - | 1 | (a) |
| Radiation (includes welding flash) | - | 87 | 28 | - | - | - |
| Vibration | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other physical causes | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Pressure vessels | - | 3 | 9 | - | - | - |
| Other - | | | | | | |
| Doors, windows, gates, etc. | - | 2 | 6 | - | - | - |
| Flying particles and dust | - | 139 | 77 | - | 3 | 1 |
| Occupational dermatitis | - | 35 | 40 | - | 4 | 4 |
| Other occupational diseases and disorders | - | 6 | 9 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Sudden twists | - | 45 | 98 | - | 6 | 12 |
| Awkward position and working in a confined space | - | 27 | 94 | - | 2 | 4 |
| Other | - | 16 | 16 | - | 2 | 1 |
| Unknown | - | 1 | (a) | - | - | - |
| Total | - | 445 | 502 | - | 28 | 34 |
| TOTAL ALL ACCIDENT FACTORS | 5 | 6 395 | 10 977 | - | 732 | 1 518 |

(a) Less than one week.

TABLE 4. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND ACCIDENT FACTOR, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Industry group | Accident factor | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Machinery | Vehicles | Electricity, explosions, etc. | Harmful substances | Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | Striking against, stepping on, etc. | Handling, moving or falling objects | Hand tools | Other and unspecified | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 11 | 47 | 6 | 5 | 104 | 22 | 174 | 93 | 55 | 517 |
| Mining | 22 | 28 | 11 | 14 | 84 | 12 | 151 | 36 | 34 | 392 |
| Total | 33 | 75 | 17 | 19 | 188 | 34 | 325 | 129 | 89 | 909 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 25 | 14 | 22 | 11 | 99 | 24 | 216 | 129 | 25 | 565 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 56 | 13 | - | 3 | 53 | 8 | 184 | 40 | 20 | 377 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | 9 | 1 | 51 | 8 | 6 | 81 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 58 | 33 | 31 | 17 | 117 | 33 | 336 | 86 | 48 | 759 |
| Transport equipment | 13 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 3 | 36 | 20 | 14 | 109 |
| Other manufacturing | 53 | 15 | 15 | 4 | 60 | 16 | 141 | 32 | 19 | 355 |
| Total | 208 | 78 | 71 | 36 | 357 | 85 | 964 | 315 | 132 | 2 246 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 32 | 22 | 29 | 5 | 132 | 19 | 210 | 74 | 58 | 581 |
| Construction | 37 | 29 | 14 | 7 | 220 | 54 | 384 | 160 | 63 | 968 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 37 | 27 | 8 | 5 | 106 | 28 | 271 | 114 | 31 | 627 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 13 | 38 | 1 | 3 | 130 | 17 | 198 | 42 | 32 | 474 |
| Finance and property | - | 5 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 3 | 41 |
| Public administration | 7 | 20 | 5 | 1 | 37 | 8 | 86 | 34 | 7 | 205 |
| Community services | 4 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 54 | 8 | 81 | 10 | 14 | 190 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 2 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 34 | 5 | 57 | 20 | 16 | 154 |
| Total | 132 | 159 | 74 | 29 | 722 | 141 | 1 303 | 456 | 224 | 3 240 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 373 | 312 | 162 | 84 | 1 267 | 260 | 2 592 | 900 | 445 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 5.8 | 4.9 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 19.8 | 4.1 | 40.5 | 14.1 | 7.0 | 100.0 |

TABLE 4. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND ACCIDENT FACTOR, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Accident factor | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Machinery | Vehicles | Electricity, explosions, etc. | Harmful substances | Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | Striking against, stepping on, etc. | Handling, moving or falling objects | Hand tools | Other and unspecified | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 1 | - | 2 | - | 4 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 24 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 1 | - | 2 | - | 4 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 12 | 4 | 1 | - | 20 | 14 | 27 | 3 | 5 | 86 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 3 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 4 | - | - | 8 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | - | 5 | - | - | 8 |
| Other manufacturing | 25 | 12 | 1 | - | 15 | 13 | 34 | 3 | 6 | 109 |
| Total | 39 | 18 | 3 | - | 39 | 27 | 70 | 7 | 11 | 214 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | 5 |
| Construction | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 4 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 32 | 12 | 36 | 12 | 1 | 112 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | 3 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 6 |
| Finance and property | - | 2 | - | - | 10 | 1 | 4 | - | 1 | 18 |
| Public administration | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 3 | - | - | 5 |
| Community services | 3 | 28 | 11 | 1 | 55 | 9 | 117 | 8 | 7 | 239 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 2 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 42 | 10 | 28 | 4 | 1 | 107 |
| Total | 9 | 52 | 24 | 4 | 146 | 33 | 189 | 26 | 11 | 494 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 49 | 70 | 29 | 4 | 189 | 62 | 266 | 35 | 28 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 6.7 | 9.6 | 4.0 | 0.5 | 25.8 | 8.5 | 36.3 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 100.0 |

TABLE 5. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND NATURE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Industrial group | Nature of injury | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------------|---------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| | Fracture | Dislocation | Sprains and strains | Intra-cranial injury (excl. skull fracture) | Internal injury of chest, abdomen | Laceration and open wound | Superficial injury |
| Primary - | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 38 | 11 | 168 | 2 | 3 | 171 | 11 |
| Mining | 12 | 2 | 130 | 2 | 1 | 59 | 13 |
| Total | 50 | 13 | 298 | 4 | 4 | 230 | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 26 | 3 | 186 | - | 6 | 204 | 9 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 29 | 4 | 103 | 1 | 1 | 118 | 2 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 8 | - | 25 | - | - | 18 | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 42 | 4 | 273 | - | 4 | 115 | 7 |
| Transport equipment | 7 | - | 30 | - | - | 26 | 2 |
| Other manufacturing | 18 | 3 | 115 | 4 | 2 | 74 | 2 |
| Total | 130 | 14 | 732 | 5 | 13 | 555 | 22 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 21 | 6 | 202 | 5 | 2 | 96 | 4 |
| Construction | 49 | 8 | 355 | 2 | 13 | 227 | 10 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 44 | 9 | 191 | 4 | 1 | 200 | 5 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 24 | 3 | 209 | 3 | 6 | 95 | 8 |
| Finance and property | 5 | - | 19 | - | - | 5 | - |
| Public administration | 11 | 2 | 79 | - | 4 | 44 | 2 |
| Community services | 12 | 1 | 94 | 1 | 2 | 32 | 3 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 15 | 1 | 59 | 1 | - | 38 | 2 |
| Total | 181 | 30 | 1 208 | 16 | 28 | 737 | 34 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | |
| Number | 361 | 57 | 2 238 | 25 | 45 | 1 522 | 80 |
| Per cent of total | 5.6 | 0.9 | 35.0 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 23.8 | 1.3 |

TABLE 5. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND NATURE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

MALES

| Industry group | Nature of injury | | | | | | | Total cases males |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| | Contusion and crushing | Foreign body entering through orifice | Burn | Injury to nerves and spinal cord | Toxic effects of non-medicinals | Other adverse effects | Disease cases | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 84 | 9 | 10 | - | 8 | 1 | 1 | 517 |
| Mining | 104 | 40 | 16 | - | 5 | 5 | 3 | 392 |
| Total | 188 | 49 | 26 | - | 13 | 6 | 4 | 909 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 73 | 19 | 30 | 1 | - | 2 | 6 | 565 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 88 | 20 | 6 | - | 1 | 2 | 2 | 377 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 20 | 7 | 3 | - | - | - | - | 81 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 180 | 57 | 58 | - | 4 | 13 | 2 | 759 |
| Transport | 19 | 14 | 5 | - | - | 4 | 2 | 109 |
| Other manufacturing | 82 | 21 | 24 | - | 2 | 7 | 1 | 355 |
| Total | 462 | 138 | 126 | 1 | 7 | 28 | 13 | 2 246 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 152 | 39 | 41 | - | 1 | 5 | 7 | 581 |
| Construction | 170 | 89 | 27 | - | 2 | 9 | 7 | 968 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 102 | 42 | 17 | 1 | 1 | - | 10 | 627 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 96 | 17 | 4 | 1 | - | 7 | 1 | 474 |
| Finance and property | 5 | 1 | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | 41 |
| Public administration | 44 | 9 | 4 | - | 2 | 1 | 3 | 205 |
| Community services | 27 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 4 | - | - | 190 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 20 | 2 | 10 | - | 1 | - | 5 | 154 |
| Total | 616 | 207 | 111 | 3 | 14 | 22 | 33 | 3 240 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 1 266 | 394 | 263 | 4 | 34 | 56 | 50 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 19.8 | 6.2 | 4.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 100.0 |

TABLE 5. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND NATURE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Nature of injury | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------------|---------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| | Fracture | Dislocation | Sprains and strains | Intra-cranial injury (excl. skull fracture) | Internal injury of chest, abdomen | Laceration and open wound | Superficial injury |
| Primary - | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 2 | - | 11 | 1 | - | 6 | - |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 2 | - | 11 | 1 | - | 6 | - |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 3 | - | 29 | 1 | - | 18 | 2 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | 3 | - | - | 3 | - |
| Transport equipment | - | - | 6 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Other manufacturing | 3 | 1 | 40 | 1 | - | 22 | - |
| Total | 6 | 1 | 78 | 2 | - | 46 | 2 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| Construction | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 11 | 1 | 44 | - | - | 29 | - |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | - | 2 | - |
| Finance and property | 2 | - | 11 | - | - | 2 | 1 |
| Public administration | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Community services | 9 | 1 | 140 | 3 | - | 28 | - |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 7 | 3 | 46 | 1 | - | 18 | - |
| Total | 30 | 6 | 248 | 5 | - | 79 | 1 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | |
| Number | 38 | 7 | 337 | 8 | - | 131 | 3 |
| Per cent of total | 5.2 | 1.0 | 46.0 | 1.1 | - | 17.9 | 0.4 |

TABLE 5. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND NATURE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Nature of injury | | | | | | | Total cases females |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| | Contusion and crushing | Foreign body entering through orifice | Burn | Injury to nerves and spinal cord | Toxic effects of non-medicinals | Other adverse effects | Disease cases | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | 24 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 29 | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | 86 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Transport equipment | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Other manufacturing | 33 | 3 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 | 2 | 109 |
| Total | 65 | 3 | 4 | - | 3 | 2 | 2 | 214 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 5 |
| Construction | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 20 | 1 | 6 | - | - | - | - | 112 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Finance and property | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 18 |
| Public administration | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5 |
| Community services | 43 | 1 | 12 | - | - | - | 2 | 239 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 21 | 1 | 9 | - | 1 | - | - | 107 |
| Total | 91 | 3 | 27 | - | 1 | - | 3 | 494 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 156 | 6 | 33 | - | 4 | 2 | 7 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 21.3 | 0.8 | 4.5 | - | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 100.0 |

TABLE 6. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND SITE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Industry group | Site of injury | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | Eye | Head | Neck | Trunk | Arm | Hand | Leg | Foot | Site unspecified | Site not applicable | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 28 | 25 | 8 | 113 | 68 | 111 | 124 | 34 | 3 | 3 | 517 |
| Mining | 58 | 9 | 6 | 86 | 49 | 85 | 70 | 27 | - | 2 | 392 |
| Total | 86 | 34 | 14 | 199 | 117 | 196 | 194 | 61 | 3 | 5 | 909 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 31 | 17 | 7 | 124 | 94 | 182 | 74 | 33 | 2 | 1 | 565 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 27 | 8 | 4 | 79 | 35 | 127 | 62 | 34 | 1 | - | 377 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 11 | 1 | - | 17 | 6 | 23 | 11 | 12 | - | - | 81 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 85 | 27 | 13 | 164 | 115 | 177 | 109 | 58 | 9 | 2 | 759 |
| Transport equipment | 21 | 3 | 2 | 24 | 9 | 33 | 10 | 7 | - | - | 109 |
| Other manufacturing | 38 | 15 | 8 | 76 | 47 | 89 | 50 | 29 | 1 | 2 | 355 |
| Total | 213 | 71 | 34 | 484 | 306 | 631 | 316 | 173 | 13 | 5 | 2 246 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 66 | 28 | 7 | 150 | 56 | 130 | 101 | 36 | 4 | 3 | 581 |
| Construction | 120 | 23 | 13 | 258 | 105 | 211 | 170 | 66 | 2 | - | 968 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 49 | 25 | 7 | 139 | 73 | 213 | 75 | 40 | 5 | 1 | 627 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 30 | 23 | 11 | 141 | 42 | 94 | 102 | 25 | 5 | 1 | 474 |
| Finance and property | 4 | 2 | - | 10 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 2 | - | 2 | 41 |
| Public administration | 12 | 4 | 4 | 70 | 26 | 49 | 24 | 14 | 2 | - | 205 |
| Community services | 11 | 6 | 4 | 63 | 25 | 34 | 39 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 190 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 38 | 24 | 48 | 29 | 7 | - | - | 154 |
| Total | 296 | 114 | 47 | 869 | 359 | 785 | 547 | 195 | 20 | 8 | 3 240 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 595 | 219 | 95 | 1 552 | 782 | 1 612 | 1 057 | 429 | 36 | 18 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 9.3 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 24.3 | 12.2 | 25.2 | 16.5 | 6.7 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 100.0 |

TABLE 6. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND SITE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Site of injury | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | Eye | Head | Neck | Trunk | Arm | Hand | Leg | Foot | Site unspecified | Site not applicable | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | - | 1 | - | 5 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 1 | - | - | 24 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | 1 | - | 5 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 1 | - | - | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | - | 5 | 5 | 24 | 21 | 20 | 8 | 3 | - | - | 86 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | 3 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | 4 | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Transport equipment | - | 1 | - | - | 5 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 8 |
| Other manufacturing | 4 | 3 | 8 | 13 | 21 | 33 | 18 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 109 |
| Total | 5 | 9 | 14 | 40 | 47 | 58 | 28 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 214 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 5 |
| Construction | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 3 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 10 | 31 | 19 | 10 | 1 | - | 112 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | 6 |
| Finance and property | - | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 | - | - | 18 |
| Public administration | - | - | - | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 5 |
| Community services | 1 | 11 | 12 | 92 | 35 | 33 | 37 | 14 | 4 | - | 239 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 2 | 10 | 4 | 31 | 20 | 12 | 21 | 6 | 1 | - | 107 |
| Total | 6 | 26 | 28 | 161 | 70 | 80 | 83 | 33 | 7 | - | 494 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 11 | 36 | 42 | 206 | 121 | 146 | 116 | 44 | 8 | 2 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 1.5 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 28.1 | 16.5 | 19.9 | 15.8 | 6.0 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 100.0 |

TABLE 7. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE (a), TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Industry group | Month of occurrence | | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-----|------|-------|
| | 1977 | | | | | | 1978 | | | | | | |
| | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April | May | June | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 38 | 51 | 44 | 42 | 61 | 37 | 35 | 37 | 50 | 43 | 45 | 34 | 517 |
| Mining | 26 | 38 | 35 | 35 | 18 | 30 | 32 | 32 | 34 | 29 | 52 | 31 | 392 |
| Total | 64 | 89 | 79 | 77 | 79 | 67 | 67 | 69 | 84 | 72 | 97 | 65 | 909 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 50 | 54 | 47 | 36 | 58 | 42 | 48 | 46 | 60 | 45 | 50 | 29 | 565 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | 58 | 53 | 36 | 41 | 31 | 12 | 17 | 26 | 22 | 27 | 28 | 26 | 377 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | 10 | 15 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 12 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 81 |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 75 | 91 | 60 | 67 | 48 | 31 | 37 | 57 | 62 | 75 | 81 | 75 | 759 |
| Transport equipment | 12 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 10 | 16 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 109 |
| Other manufacturing | 33 | 42 | 33 | 28 | 36 | 18 | 27 | 29 | 36 | 24 | 23 | 26 | 355 |
| Total | 238 | 265 | 191 | 189 | 191 | 123 | 138 | 175 | 199 | 186 | 189 | 162 | 2 246 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | 48 | 61 | 52 | 41 | 45 | 40 | 48 | 56 | 54 | 50 | 50 | 36 | 581 |
| Construction | 124 | 145 | 118 | 92 | 120 | 62 | 37 | 71 | 54 | 43 | 49 | 53 | 968 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 69 | 64 | 67 | 46 | 63 | 35 | 36 | 47 | 55 | 51 | 57 | 37 | 627 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | 61 | 65 | 43 | 47 | 40 | 19 | 27 | 27 | 22 | 35 | 58 | 30 | 474 |
| Finance and property | 2 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 3 | - | 41 |
| Public administration | 18 | 26 | 20 | 20 | 22 | 9 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 24 | 15 | 15 | 205 |
| Community services | 20 | 19 | 15 | 20 | 13 | 14 | 16 | 12 | 16 | 18 | 11 | 16 | 190 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 17 | 22 | 18 | 10 | 15 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 13 | 9 | 8 | 154 |
| Total | 359 | 409 | 336 | 280 | 324 | 194 | 189 | 236 | 228 | 238 | 252 | 195 | 3 240 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 661 | 763 | 606 | 546 | 594 | 384 | 394 | 480 | 511 | 496 | 538 | 422 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 10.3 | 11.9 | 9.5 | 8.5 | 9.3 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 8.4 | 6.6 | 100.0 |

(a) This table relates to cases occurring during 1977-78.

TABLE 7. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : INDUSTRY GROUP AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE (a), TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Industry group | Month of occurrence | | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|-------|
| | 1977 | | | | | | 1978 | | | | | | |
| | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April | May | June | |
| Primary - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary production (excl. mining) | 2 | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 24 |
| Mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 2 | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 24 |
| Manufacturing - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food, drink, etc. | 12 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 6 | 11 | 8 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 86 |
| Wood and wood products, etc. | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | 3 |
| Glass and clay products, etc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Metal and metal products, etc. | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 2 | - | 8 |
| Transport equipment | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 8 |
| Other manufacturing | 8 | 9 | 16 | 16 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 109 |
| Total | 23 | 14 | 28 | 23 | 24 | 5 | 9 | 18 | 22 | 18 | 22 | 8 | 214 |
| Other industries - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electricity, gas, etc. | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 5 |
| Construction | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 12 | 14 | 8 | 6 | 15 | 6 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 112 |
| Transport, storage, etc. | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 6 |
| Finance and property | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 18 |
| Public administration | 1 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 5 |
| Community services | 23 | 21 | 16 | 30 | 17 | 22 | 15 | 19 | 18 | 13 | 27 | 18 | 239 |
| Amusements, hotels, etc. | 7 | 10 | 4 | 10 | 14 | 8 | 12 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 107 |
| Total | 44 | 50 | 32 | 51 | 48 | 37 | 35 | 38 | 34 | 34 | 49 | 42 | 494 |
| TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number | 69 | 67 | 61 | 74 | 74 | 44 | 46 | 57 | 62 | 53 | 74 | 51 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 9.4 | 9.2 | 8.3 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 7.8 | 8.5 | 7.2 | 10.1 | 7.0 | 100.0 |

(a) This table relates to cases occurring during 1977-78.

TABLE 8. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : ACCIDENT FACTOR AND SITE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Accident factor | Site of injury | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | Eye | Head | Neck | Trunk | Arm | Hand | Leg | Foot | Site unspecified | Site not applicable | |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | 79 | 11 | 4 | 13 | 28 | 193 | 30 | 15 | - | - | 373 |
| Vehicles | 12 | 24 | 17 | 70 | 58 | 35 | 63 | 16 | 14 | 3 | 312 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 20 | 26 | 1 | 6 | 19 | 39 | 17 | 28 | 3 | 3 | 162 |
| Harmful substances | 31 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 5 | 4 | - | 10 | 84 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | 1 | 29 | 12 | 347 | 161 | 99 | 548 | 63 | 7 | - | 1 267 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | 6 | 28 | 7 | 16 | 56 | 46 | 67 | 34 | - | - | 260 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | 61 | 65 | 37 | 963 | 323 | 701 | 212 | 228 | 2 | - | 2 592 |
| Hand tools | 152 | 18 | 7 | 64 | 102 | 451 | 69 | 34 | 3 | - | 900 |
| Other and unspecified | 233 | 11 | 9 | 63 | 29 | 38 | 46 | 7 | 7 | 2 | 445 |
| TOTAL - Number | 595 | 219 | 95 | 1 552 | 782 | 1 612 | 1 057 | 429 | 36 | 18 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 9.3 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 24.3 | 12.2 | 25.2 | 16.5 | 6.7 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 100.0 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | 3 | 1 | - | - | 6 | 36 | 1 | 2 | - | - | 49 |
| Vehicles | 1 | 14 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 70 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 2 | 3 | - | 2 | 4 | 11 | 5 | 2 | - | - | 29 |
| Harmful substances | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 4 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | - | 6 | 4 | 52 | 37 | 5 | 70 | 14 | 1 | - | 189 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | - | 4 | - | 4 | 20 | 10 | 17 | 7 | - | - | 62 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | - | 4 | 13 | 131 | 43 | 50 | 11 | 14 | - | - | 266 |
| Hand tools | 1 | - | - | 2 | 4 | 27 | 1 | - | - | - | 35 |
| Other and unspecified | 3 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 28 |
| TOTAL - Number | 11 | 36 | 42 | 206 | 121 | 146 | 116 | 44 | 8 | 2 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 1.5 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 28.1 | 16.5 | 19.9 | 15.8 | 6.0 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 100.0 |

TABLE 9. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : ACCIDENT FACTOR AND OCCUPATION GROUP, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Accident factor | Occupation group | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------|------------------|--|---|---|---|--|--|-------|
| | Profes- sional, technical and related workers | Adminis- trative, executive, and managerial workers | Clerical workers | Sales workers | Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers | Miners, quarrymen and related workers | Workers in transport and communi- cation occu- pations | Craftsmen, produc- tion process workers and labourers | Service, sport and recrea- tion workers | Occupation inadeq- uately described or not stated | |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | 3 | 4 | - | 2 | 13 | 17 | 10 | 318 | 6 | - | 373 |
| Vehicles | 8 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 52 | 18 | 44 | 163 | 8 | - | 312 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 2 | 1 | - | - | 6 | 6 | 4 | 128 | 15 | - | 162 |
| Harmful substances | 1 | 2 | - | - | 6 | 10 | 1 | 59 | 5 | - | 84 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | 25 | 19 | 12 | 21 | 119 | 57 | 125 | 817 | 72 | - | 1 267 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | 4 | 3 | - | 8 | 25 | 6 | 14 | 194 | 6 | - | 260 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | 21 | 26 | 4 | 41 | 212 | 123 | 195 | 1 883 | 87 | - | 2 592 |
| Hand tools | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 106 | 32 | 14 | 724 | 14 | - | 900 |
| Other and unspecified | 8 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 58 | 20 | 24 | 303 | 22 | - | 445 |
| TOTAL - Number | 76 | 65 | 24 | 89 | 597 | 289 | 431 | 4 589 | 235 | - | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 9.3 | 4.5 | 6.7 | 71.8 | 3.7 | - | 100.0 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | - | - | - | 4 | 1 | - | - | 39 | 5 | - | 49 |
| Vehicles | 11 | - | 8 | 7 | - | - | 3 | 14 | 27 | - | 70 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 2 | 18 | - | 29 |
| Harmful substances | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 4 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | 12 | 5 | 15 | 26 | 9 | - | 1 | 37 | 84 | - | 189 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 12 | 3 | - | 1 | 24 | 14 | - | 62 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | 50 | 2 | 13 | 24 | 10 | - | - | 80 | 87 | - | 266 |
| Hand tools | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 3 | - | 1 | 9 | 11 | - | 35 |
| Other and unspecified | 4 | - | - | 1 | 5 | - | - | 10 | 8 | - | 28 |
| TOTAL - Number | 83 | 10 | 44 | 86 | 32 | - | 6 | 215 | 256 | - | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 11.3 | 1.4 | 6.0 | 11.7 | 4.4 | - | 0.8 | 29.4 | 35.0 | - | 100.0 |

TABLE 10. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : ACCIDENT FACTOR AND AGE GROUP, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Age group (years) | Accident factor | | | | | | | | | Total | |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------|--|----------------------------|---|--|--|---------------|-----------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| | Machinery | Vehicles | Elec- tricity, explosions, etc. | Harmful sub- stances | Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | Striking against, stepping on, etc. | Handling, moving or falling objects | Hand tools | Other and unspecified | Number | Per cent of total |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Under 20 | 86 | 51 | 38 | 9 | 172 | 46 | 392 | 184 | 68 | 1 046 | 16.4 |
| 20 - 24 | 95 | 53 | 39 | 10 | 237 | 49 | 541 | 208 | 95 | 1 327 | 20.8 |
| 25 - 29 | 53 | 36 | 20 | 21 | 182 | 36 | 351 | 148 | 50 | 897 | 14.0 |
| 30 - 34 | 29 | 34 | 16 | 10 | 144 | 28 | 298 | 79 | 55 | 693 | 10.8 |
| 35 - 39 | 28 | 33 | 12 | 9 | 119 | 13 | 212 | 66 | 41 | 533 | 8.3 |
| 40 - 44 | 17 | 27 | 10 | 8 | 95 | 17 | 197 | 46 | 36 | 453 | 7.1 |
| 45 - 49 | 17 | 24 | 6 | 6 | 98 | 20 | 165 | 45 | 33 | 414 | 6.5 |
| 50 - 54 | 17 | 20 | 7 | 6 | 83 | 15 | 162 | 39 | 20 | 369 | 5.8 |
| 55 - 59 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 3 | 65 | 14 | 129 | 34 | 22 | 301 | 4.7 |
| 60 - 64 | 11 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 49 | 13 | 73 | 21 | 11 | 196 | 3.1 |
| 65 and over | - | 4 | - | - | 4 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 24 | 0.4 |
| Age not stated | 5 | 7 | 2 | - | 19 | 7 | 65 | 25 | 12 | 142 | 2.2 |
| Total | 373 | 312 | 162 | 84 | 1 267 | 260 | 2 592 | 900 | 445 | 6 395 | 100.0 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Under 20 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 22 | 17 | 58 | 14 | 6 | 138 | 18.9 |
| 20 - 24 | 9 | 20 | 5 | - | 18 | 6 | 57 | 5 | 7 | 127 | 17.3 |
| 25 - 29 | 7 | 10 | - | - | 14 | 7 | 24 | 2 | 4 | 68 | 9.3 |
| 30 - 34 | 4 | 7 | 6 | - | 19 | 6 | 27 | 5 | 1 | 75 | 10.2 |
| 35 - 39 | 2 | 6 | 3 | - | 23 | 4 | 27 | 2 | 3 | 70 | 9.6 |
| 40 - 44 | 6 | 9 | 1 | - | 25 | 4 | 27 | - | 2 | 74 | 10.1 |
| 45 - 49 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 35 | 8 | 21 | 2 | 4 | 87 | 11.9 |
| 50 - 54 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 3 | - | 45 | 6.1 |
| 55 - 59 | 2 | - | 1 | - | 11 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 3.1 |
| 60 - 64 | - | 1 | - | - | 6 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 9 | 1.2 |
| 65 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | 0.1 |
| Age not stated | - | 4 | 2 | - | 2 | - | 6 | 1 | - | 15 | 2.0 |
| Total | 49 | 70 | 29 | 4 | 189 | 62 | 266 | 35 | 28 | 732 | 100.0 |

TABLE 11. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : ACCIDENT FACTOR AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Accident factor | Month of occurrence | | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| | 1977 | | | | | | 1978 | | | | | | |
| | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | 47 | 50 | 42 | 23 | 34 | 24 | 26 | 34 | 24 | 28 | 25 | 16 | 373 |
| Vehicles | 45 | 39 | 30 | 25 | 26 | 19 | 21 | 22 | 19 | 19 | 28 | 19 | 312 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 16 | 18 | 15 | 12 | 17 | 19 | 10 | 9 | 13 | 14 | 10 | 9 | 162 |
| Harmful substances | 6 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 12 | 84 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | 127 | 148 | 118 | 115 | 120 | 92 | 85 | 97 | 105 | 95 | 102 | 63 | 1 267 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | 21 | 24 | 25 | 22 | 33 | 13 | 15 | 23 | 20 | 16 | 23 | 25 | 260 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | 269 | 314 | 253 | 234 | 222 | 130 | 143 | 195 | 224 | 212 | 224 | 172 | 2 592 |
| Hand tools | 88 | 110 | 83 | 68 | 78 | 55 | 60 | 65 | 65 | 75 | 80 | 73 | 900 |
| Other and unspecified | 42 | 51 | 32 | 38 | 59 | 29 | 26 | 32 | 33 | 32 | 38 | 33 | 445 |
| TOTAL - Number | 661 | 763 | 606 | 546 | 594 | 384 | 394 | 480 | 511 | 496 | 538 | 422 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 10.3 | 11.9 | 9.5 | 8.5 | 9.3 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 8.4 | 6.6 | 100.0 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Machinery | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 49 |
| Vehicles | 7 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 70 |
| Electricity, explosions, etc. | 6 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | - | 29 |
| Harmful substances | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 4 |
| Falling, slipping, stumbling, etc. | 17 | 21 | 14 | 15 | 18 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 13 | 21 | 21 | 189 |
| Striking against, stepping on, etc. | 4 | 2 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 62 |
| Handling, moving or falling objects | 24 | 19 | 25 | 29 | 32 | 17 | 12 | 27 | 20 | 19 | 27 | 15 | 266 |
| Hand tools | 3 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | 6 | 1 | 35 |
| Other and unspecified | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | - | 1 | 2 | 28 |
| TOTAL - Number | 69 | 67 | 61 | 74 | 74 | 44 | 46 | 57 | 62 | 53 | 74 | 51 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 9.4 | 9.2 | 8.3 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 7.8 | 8.5 | 7.2 | 10.1 | 7.0 | 100.0 |

TABLE 12. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : NATURE OF INJURY AND SITE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78

MALES

| Nature of injury | Site of injury | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|--|----------------|------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | Eye | Head | Neck | Trunk | Arm | Hand | Leg | Foot | Site unspecified | Site not applicable | |
| Fracture | - | 11 | 1 | 40 | 53 | 125 | 50 | 79 | 2 | - | 361 |
| Dislocation | - | - | - | 23 | 18 | 9 | 6 | 1 | - | - | 57 |
| Sprains and strains | - | - | 80 | 1 201 | 370 | 52 | 504 | 29 | 2 | - | 2 238 |
| Intracranial injury (excluding skull fracture) | - | 25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25 |
| Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis | - | - | - | 45 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 45 |
| Laceration and open wound | 44 | 106 | 1 | 10 | 111 | 997 | 174 | 77 | 2 | - | 1 522 |
| Superficial injury | 9 | 6 | - | 7 | 6 | 17 | 23 | 5 | 7 | - | 80 |
| Contusion and crushing with intact skin surface | 23 | 35 | 10 | 201 | 184 | 333 | 267 | 201 | 12 | - | 1 266 |
| Effects of foreign body entering through orifice | 387 | 2 | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 394 |
| Burn | 83 | 29 | 2 | 8 | 28 | 49 | 26 | 35 | 3 | - | 263 |
| Injury to nerves and spinal cord | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 4 |
| Toxic effects of non-medicinals | - | - | - | 10 | 4 | 2 | 5 | - | 2 | 11 | 34 |
| Other adverse effects | 47 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | 5 | 56 |
| Disease cases | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | 8 | 27 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 50 |
| TOTAL - Number | 595 | 219 | 95 | 1 552 | 782 | 1 612 | 1 057 | 429 | 36 | 18 | 6 395 |
| Per cent of total | 9.3 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 24.3 | 12.2 | 25.2 | 16.5 | 6.7 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 100.0 |

TABLE 12. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : NATURE OF INJURY AND SITE OF INJURY, TASMANIA, 1977-78 - continued

FEMALES

| Nature of injury | Site of injury | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|--|----------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | Eye | Head | Neck | Trunk | Arm | Hand | Leg | Foot | Site unspecified | Site not applicable | |
| Fracture | - | 1 | - | 8 | 10 | 7 | 1 | 9 | 2 | - | 38 |
| Dislocation | - | - | 1 | 2 | 3 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 7 |
| Sprains and strains | - | - | 35 | 160 | 69 | 11 | 56 | 6 | - | - | 337 |
| Intracranial injury (excluding skull fracture) | - | 8 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 8 |
| Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Laceration and open wound | 2 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 87 | 16 | 5 | - | - | 131 |
| Superficial injury | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 3 |
| Contusion and crushing with intact skin surface | - | 8 | 4 | 31 | 29 | 23 | 36 | 20 | 5 | - | 156 |
| Effects of foreign body entering through orifice | 6 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Burn | 3 | 3 | - | 2 | 5 | 12 | 5 | 3 | - | - | 33 |
| Injury to nerves and spinal cord | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Toxic effects of non-medicinals | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 4 |
| Other adverse effects | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 2 |
| Disease cases | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | 4 | - | - | 1 | - | 7 |
| TOTAL - Number | 11 | 36 | 42 | 206 | 121 | 146 | 116 | 44 | 8 | 2 | 732 |
| Per cent of total | 1.5 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 28.1 | 16.5 | 19.9 | 15.8 | 6.0 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 100.0 |

TABLE 13. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS : DURATION OF TIME LOST AND AGE GROUP (a), TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Duration of absence | Age group (years) | | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|------------|-------|
| | Under 20 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50-54 | 55-59 | 60-64 | 65 and over | Not stated | |
| MALES (Number of accidents) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 day but under 1 week | 711 | 879 | 534 | 404 | 304 | 226 | 205 | 170 | 143 | 85 | 6 | 87 | 3 754 |
| 1 week but under 2 weeks | 186 | 234 | 185 | 144 | 107 | 106 | 97 | 93 | 64 | 48 | 5 | 23 | 1 292 |
| 2 weeks but under 4 weeks | 78 | 126 | 95 | 79 | 55 | 65 | 52 | 57 | 44 | 37 | 4 | 22 | 714 |
| 4 weeks but under 6 weeks | 33 | 40 | 37 | 28 | 25 | 20 | 23 | 20 | 22 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 266 |
| 6 weeks but under 8 weeks | 17 | 17 | 12 | 18 | 12 | 17 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 132 |
| 8 weeks but under 13 weeks | 13 | 18 | 20 | 13 | 18 | 7 | 19 | 12 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 140 |
| 13 weeks but under 26 weeks | 7 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 11 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 80 |
| 26 weeks but under 52 weeks | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 16 |
| 52 weeks but under 104 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 104 weeks but under 156 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 156 weeks and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 1 046 | 1 327 | 897 | 693 | 533 | 452 | 414 | 369 | 301 | 196 | 24 | 142 | 6 394 |
| FEMALES (Number of accidents) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 day but under 1 week | 93 | 83 | 48 | 42 | 34 | 32 | 37 | 16 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 409 |
| 1 week but under 2 weeks | 26 | 17 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 13 | 25 | 10 | 4 | 4 | - | 3 | 141 |
| 2 weeks but under 4 weeks | 11 | 13 | 4 | 9 | 11 | 12 | 17 | 10 | 4 | 2 | - | 1 | 94 |
| 4 weeks but under 6 weeks | 3 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | 35 |
| 6 weeks but under 8 weeks | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | 11 |
| 8 weeks but under 13 weeks | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 19 |
| 13 weeks but under 26 weeks | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 18 |
| 26 weeks but under 52 weeks | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 5 |
| 52 weeks but under 104 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 104 weeks but under 156 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 156 weeks and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 138 | 127 | 68 | 75 | 70 | 74 | 87 | 45 | 23 | 9 | 1 | 15 | 732 |

(a) Excludes accidents resulting in permanent total disability (one to males and none to females; see Table 1).

TABLE 14. NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS (a) : CASES AND TIME LOST BY DURATION OF TIME LOST, TASMANIA, 1977-78

| Duration of time lost | Males | | Females | | Persons | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Accidents | Time lost | Accidents | Time lost | Accidents | Time lost |
| | no. | weeks | no. | weeks | no. | weeks |
| 1 day but under 1 week | 3 754 | 1 691 | 409 | 178 | 4 163 | 1 869 |
| 1 week but under 2 weeks | 1 292 | 1 761 | 141 | 198 | 1 433 | 1 959 |
| 2 weeks but under 4 weeks | 714 | 1 955 | 94 | 254 | 808 | 2 210 |
| 4 weeks but under 6 weeks | 266 | 1 296 | 35 | 167 | 301 | 1 463 |
| 6 weeks but under 8 weeks | 132 | 897 | 11 | 74 | 143 | 972 |
| 8 weeks but under 13 weeks | 140 | 1 374 | 19 | 178 | 159 | 1 552 |
| 13 weeks but under 26 weeks | 80 | 1 370 | 18 | 302 | 98 | 1 672 |
| 26 weeks but under 52 weeks | 16 | 632 | 5 | 168 | 21 | 800 |
| 52 weeks but under 104 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 104 weeks but under 156 weeks | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 156 weeks and over | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total cases occurring | 6 394 | 10 977 | 732 | 1 518 | 7 126 | 12 495 |
| Re-opened cases (b) | 67 | 383 | 6 | 17 | 73 | 401 |
| Total new and re-opened cases | 6 461 | 11 360 | 738 | 1 535 | 7 199 | 12 896 |

(a) Excludes permanent total disability cases (one male in 1977-78).

(b) Additional time lost has not been allocated to appropriate duration groups. The total cost of cases re-opened during 1977-78 was \$116 893.

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| Cat. no. | Publication | Latest issue (b) | Date of issue |
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| GENERAL | | | |
| 1101.6 | Index of Towns, Localities and Standard Area Codes irr | 1975 | 17- 9-1975 |
| 1103.6 | Catalogue of Publications, Tasmanian Office irr | 1977 | Nov. 1977 |
| 1301.6 | Tasmanian Year Book (\$8.00; \$9.00 Tas; \$10.30 interstate) a | 1979 | 4- 9-1979 |
| 1302.6 | Pocket Year Book of Tasmania (\$0.60; \$0.95 posted) a | 1979 | 4-10-1979 |
| 1303.6 | Monthly Summary of Statistics m * | October 1979 | October 1979 |
| 1304.6 | Compendium of Local Government Area Statistics irr | 1979 | 10- 7-1979 |
| DEMOGRAPHY AND SOCIAL | | | |
| 2201.6 | Census of Population and Housing, Preliminary Characteristics irr * | 30 June 1976 | 24- 5-1977 |
| 3101.6 | Demography a * | 1977 | 6-12-1978 |
| 3201.6 | Estimated Population of Local Government Areas in Tasmania a | 30 June 1978 | 22-11-1978 |
| 3202.6 | Population and Vital Statistics q | June qtr 1979 | 10-10-1979 |
| 3301.6 | Death, Causes of a * | 1978 | 14- 8-1979 |
| 3401.6 | Visitor Survey irr | 1978 | 23- 4-1979 |
| 4201.6 | Education a * | 1978 | 8-10-1979 |
| 4301.6 | Hospital Morbidity a * | 1978 | 20- 9-1979 |
| 4302.6 | Mental Health Statistics a | 1973-74, 74-75, 75-76 | 24-10-1978 |
| 4501.6 | Public Justice a * | 1978 | 28- 9-1979 |
| TRADE AND FINANCE | | | |
| 5401.6 | Trade and Shipping a * | 1976-77 | 27-11-1978 |
| 5402.6 | Trade, Overseas a | 1977-78 | 22- 9-1978 |
| 5501.6 | Local Government Finance a * | 1977-78 | 30- 4-1979 |
| 5601.6 | Private Finance a * | 1976-77, 1977-78 | 22- 5-1979 |
| 5603.6 | Friendly Societies, Report on a | 1977 | 27- 4-1979 |
| LABOUR, WAGES AND PRICES | | | |
| 6101.6 | Labour, Wages and Prices a * | 1977-78 | 7-12-1978 |
| 6301.6 | Industrial Accident Statistics a * | 1976-77 | 3- 6-1978 |
| AGRICULTURE | | | |
| 7101.6 | Agricultural Industry a * | 1977-78 | 21- 6-1979 |
| 7102.6 | Principal Agricultural Statistics (preliminary) a | 1978-79 | 28- 5-1979 |
| 7201.6 | Livestock Statistics (preliminary) a | 1977-78 | 26- 5-1978 |
| 7201.6 | Livestock Statistics (final) a | 1977-78 | 23-10-1978 |
| 7202.6 | Meat Production a | 1977-78 | 12-10-1978 |
| 7203.6 | Dairying and Dairy Products a | 1977-78 | 26- 1-1979 |
| 7204.6 | Poultry Production a | 1977-78 | 7-11-1978 |
| 7205.6 | Wool Production and Disposal a | 1977-78 | 20-11-1978 |
| 7206.6 | Bee Farming a | 1977-78 | 7- 8-1978 |
| 7301.6 | Crops and Pastures a | 1977-78 | 22- 1-1979 |
| 7302.6 | Apples and Pears in Cool Stores (seasonal) m | August 1979 | 20- 9-1979 |
| 7303.6 | Fruit a | 1977-78 | 14- 3-1979 |
| 7304.6 | Potato Production a | 1977-78 | 6- 3-1979 |
| 7305.6 | Hops a | 1978-79 | 25- 7-1979 |
| 7401.6 | Rural Establishments, Number of, Irrigation and Fertiliser Usage a | 1977-78 | 8- 1-1979 |
| 7501.6 | Agricultural Commodities Produced, Value of a | 1977-78 | 27- 6-1979 |
| MANUFACTURING, MINING AND BUILDING | | | |
| 8202.6 | Census of Manufacturing Establishments, Details of Operations and Small Area Statistics a * | 1976-77 | 2- 7-1979 |
| 8203.6 | Sawmilling, Woodchipping, etc. Statistics m | June 1979 | 17- 9-1979 |
| 8204.6 | Survey of Household Energy Sources irr | June 1978 | 3-10-1978 |
| 8301.6 | Productive Activity, Miscellaneous Indicators of m | June 1979 | 6- 9-1979 |
| 8401.6 | Mining a * | 1977-78 | 7- 9-1979 |
| 8601.6 | Retail and Selected Services Establishments (Economic Census) irr * | 1973-74 | 2-10-1975 |
| 8602.6 | Wholesale Establishments (Economic Census) irr * | 1968-69 | 24- 8-1973 |
| 8603.6 | Tourist Accommodation q | June qtr 1979 | 17- 9-1979 |
| 8604.6 | Tourist Accommodation Establishments, Census of irr * | 1973-74 | 29- 8-1975 |
| 8701.6 | Building Industry a * | 1977-78 | 17-11-1978 |
| 8702.6 | Building Approvals m | August 1979 | 4-10-1979 |
| 8703.6 | Building Statistics q | Mar. qtr 1979 | 20- 7-1979 |
| TRANSPORT | | | |
| 9301.6 | Motor Vehicle Registrations m | August 1979 | 1-10-1979 |
| 9302.6 | Motor Vehicle Census irr * | 30 Sept. 1976 | 22-12-1977 |
| 9401.6 | Road Traffic Accidents Involving Casualties q | June qtr 1979 | 4-10-1979 |
| 9402.6 | Road Traffic Accidents Involving Casualties half-yearly | 31 Dec. 1978 | 21- 5-1979 |

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